

**Sunday, January 4, 2026**

*Give thanks to the Lord, call on his name; make known among the nations what he has done. Sing to him, sing praise to him; tell of all his wonderful acts. Psalm 105:1*

**THANK YOU** to those who are serving us during worship today.

**MUSICIANS:** Jan Johnson & Angie Meester

**THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC**

Today	9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service
	10:30 a.m. – Meat and Greet Meal
	11:30 a.m. – Council Meeting
Next Sunday	9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service

**OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

**Please remember** those of our congregation who live alone and those alone in care facilities through a phone call or a card.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Everyone is invited** for coffee and fellowship following the worship service this morning. There is a sign-up sheet on the counter for volunteers to serve.

**There will be** no second offering next Sunday.

**We welcome** Pastor Kevin Van Wyk to our pulpit this morning.

**Council will meet** today after the meal.

**Everyone is welcome** to join us this morning in the Fellowship Hall for the "MEAT AND GREET" buffet after the service for a chance to visit with Pastor and Mrs. Van Wyk. There will be enough food and room around the tables. So join us for a good time, good food and let's meet some new people to our church!

**SPEC'N DICKEN / PANCAKE FUNDRAISER MEAL:**

Please join Timothy Christian School for an authentic

German spec'n dicken pancake meal served with applesauce and drink at the Parkersburg Veterans Building on Monday, January 12, 2026. Serving from 4:30-7 PM. Regular pancakes are also served. Sugar-free syrup available. Carry-outs available. Free will donation. We hope to see you there!

**Upcoming Speakers:**

January 11 – Travis Konig  
January 18 – Randy Raak  
January 25 – Brent Janssen

**If you need** someone to perform pastoral duties, please contact one of the Elders:

Ken Mehmen – (319) 269-1184  
Pat Prier – (641) 640-4080  
Mike Ascher – (319) 239-0637

Please feel free to contact any Council member with any questions you might have.

**The General Fund collection** for December 25 and 28 was \$6,506.42. The target amount for each week is \$2,248.10. The collection for A-P Food Pantry totaled \$295.00.

**Heidelberg Catechism Q & A 123:**

**Q: What does the second request mean?**

A: Your kingdom come means, rule us by your word and spirit in such a way that more and more we submit to you. Keep your church strong and add to it. Destroy the devil's work; destroy every force which revolts against you and every conspiracy against your word. Do this until your kingdom is so complete and perfect that in it you are "all in all".

*-HC and ME: The Heidelberg Catechism for Christian Living (2006), Faith Alive Christian Resources*

## **Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church**

January 4, 2026 – 9:30 AM

### **WE COME NEAR TO GOD**

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

\*Song: TCH 225 **Come, Christians, Join to Sing**

\*God's Greeting

\*Mutual Greeting

Song: TCH 90 **Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee**

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering for the General Fund

\*Hymn: TCH 429 **They'll Know We Are Christians**

### **SERVICE OF THE WORD**

Scripture: **Acts 2:36-47** (pg. 1694)

Message: **An Acts 2 Church? Core Elements of Gospel Addition**

Prayer of Dedication

### **RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE**

\*Hymn: TCH 415 **We Are Called to Be God's People**

\*God's Blessing

\*Closing Song: TCH 237 **Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing**

\*Postlude